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GENERAL LOCAL NEWS.

Fine sugar cured hams, sides and shoulders, the best in market. W. C. Barron.
Prof. Hottel's Summer School, at Green Hill, will begin on Monday next, July 31. Barring one cent a piece.
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A drum and fire corps has been organized at Harrisonburg.

The celebrated Globe Beer is for sale at Geary's, here.

Fruit jars by the dozen or case.

We regret that an interesting communication from Connelieus reached us too late for this issue. It will appear next week.

Prices range from two to ten thousand dollars at Excelsior Marble Works, Mt. Jackson.

Wanted to rent 20 good brood mares for cash or will breed on shares.

Extra fancy lemons, oranges and bananas.

Globe Beer has the reputation; it is drunk by every nation.

Mr. W. A. McQuay will take charge of my store July 4th. He will be glad to sell at tick bottom prices. Respectfully,

W. H. Stickle.

Dreg up a card and we will call upon you at your homes. We need not stop work one hour. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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Mr. McQuay is a young man. He means business and will treat you right. Give him a trial.

While Mr. William Kerlin, of near Mt. Clifton, was picking cherries, last week, the limb broke which he was standing on, causing him to fall to the ground, breaking his leg near the hip.

Globe Brewery, Staunton Agency, has been established recently.

The manager is F. A. Quensen.

Who'll give all orders prompt attention.

Wanted—All the butter, eggs and poultry you can carry or haul, at the store of W. H. Stickle, Mt. Eden, Va.

Mr. Lewis A. Scroggins, a well-known and successful farmer as well as a popular citizen of our neighboring county of Warren, died suddenly last week.

The musical sociable held at Mr. J. C. Baker's residence on Friday night last, for the benefit of the Presbyterian Church, was fairly successful, \$15 being realized from the sale of refreshments.

No political preference shown. Republicans, Democrats, Prohibitionists and People's party monuments and tombstones at Excelsior Marble Works, Mt. Jackson, Va.

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PERSONAL.

Roy Blizer, of Washington, D. C., is visiting Mr. S. V. R. C. C. W. G. N. Grubill, of Washington, D. C., in visiting relatives in Woodstock.

Miss Carrie Pounce, of Timberville, Va., is visiting her young friend, Miss Mamie Grubill, of this place.

Dr. Rieley, of Washington, D. C., spent a few days with his relatives here this week.

Mr. Ott Laughlin, wife and child, of Canton, Ohio, are visiting Mrs. Laughlin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Magruder.

Rev. Mr. Willis, principal of the Lutheran Female Seminary, Staunton, Va., spent a few days last week with Mr. John S. Hoshour, of this place.

Mr. Joseph Titus, of Chicago, arrived here on Tuesday morning. His wife has been here for several weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Haas.

Col. C. T. O'Ferral spent the greater part of Saturday in this place. The same day Gov. P. W. McKinney passed through here on a North bound train.

Dr. Thompson, well known to our people as having been associated with Dr. D. D. Carter, in the practice of medicine for some time, but is not located in Washington, D. C., spent Monday with Dr. Carter and family.

Rev. John Triplett, of Tennessee, formerly of Mr. Carter, will preach in the Presbyterian church, of this place, on the 2nd Sunday of July. Mr. Triplett has been in bad health for some time, and his many friends hope that the pure air of his native Valley may restore him completely.

Mr. James K. P. Hoover, of near this place, who has been very ill for about ten weeks, was in town Tuesday, at being his first venture from home. Although pretty tottering on his legs and extremely weak from his long confinement, he was truly glad to know he is improving as rapidly as could possibly be expected, and it is hoped, soon to be in the enjoyment of his usual good health.

Mr. Robt. Allen, of this place, who has been under treatment at the Maryland University Hospital, in Baltimore, for some time, returned to his home here on Friday, of last week. Mr. Allen underwent a severe surgical operation, consisting of the removal of about two inches of diseased bone from the hip. He is now doing well, and as soon as he has fully recovered will return to the hospital for the purpose of having the same operation performed on the other hip. It is the earnest hope of his many friends that these operations will result in great and permanent benefit.

At a meeting of the Anderson Guards, Co. A, 2nd Va. Regt., held in their Armory in this place, on Tuesday evening, J. W. Magruder was elected Captain to fill the vacancy caused by the promotion of Capt. J. C. Baker to the position of Colonel, and Lt. Sergeant Ashby Dysart was elected 1st Lieutenant, to fill the vacancy caused by the promotion of Lieut. L. S. Walker to the position on the Regimental staff of Ordnance officer with the rank of Captain. Second sergeant, Will Bender was elected 2nd Lieut. Captain Magruder was the first Captain of the company, giving up the position when elected Major of the Regiment under the old organization. He is one of the best officers in the State, and we are glad to see him in the service again.

The party of gentlemen from Woodstock, and the representative from Washington, D. C., who visited Seven Fountains on Sunday, returned here on Monday, and were met by the people of this place, and especially of the young people, who were very glad to see them. They were very much pleased to be met, and to see the people of this place, and especially of the young people, who were very glad to see them.

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Shot at the Piano.

The many friends of Mr. Jacob H. Hines in this, his native place, were greatly shocked and saddened at the news a few days ago of the accidental and fatal shooting of his bright little five year old daughter, Ruth, by a young lady by the name of Miss Clark, at the latter's home in Alexandria, on Saturday evening. It is only one more of the terrible warnings against the careless handling of firearms. That it will not be heeded will be too sadly evidenced by the columns of the newspapers as they will continue to report from time to time with awful frequency the sickening results of this criminally careless handling of what they always thought to be unloaded guns or pistols.

The following is the most correct account of the shooting of Ruth Hines that we have been able to obtain:

ALEXANDRIA, VA., June 25.—The pistol of Mr. George W. Clark, of New Alexandria, was found loaded in a drawer at his home, on Henry street, in this city, when he went away to the military academy at New Alexandria yesterday, but it had done terrible work before he returned. Shortly before sunset a five-year-old girl, the daughter of Mr. J. H. Hines, of this place, was sitting at the piano in the parlor of her father's home, and a young lady sixteen years old, had her father's pistol, a .22 calibre English bulldog, in the room. Very soon the pistol was discharged and the ball had struck little Miss Hines near the top of her head and she lay prostrate on the floor, unconscious, with a ball in the brain. The screams of Miss Clark brought assistance, but the physicians, when they came, found the child beyond their help, but still alive, and Miss Clark frightened beyond her wits, and so dazed as to be unable to give an intelligible account of the transaction. The piano, the corner of the room, and the child's wound would certainly prove fatal.

A Sad Accident.

A particularly sad accident occurred at Kearneysville last Sunday morning. Mrs. Henry Rogers and her two little sons, about six years of age, ran across the tracks to the opposite side. His mother saw a freight train approaching rapidly from the east and waited until it should pass. The little boy, who was about eight inches, the braces having been removed preparatory to putting in the floors. Fortunately none of the timbers were broken and the damage was easily repaired.

To the World's Fair via B. & O. R. R.

The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad has placed on sale at its ticket offices on the Valley Division excursion tickets to Chicago at the rate of \$22 for the round trip from any point on the line from Lexington to Harper's Ferry. These tickets are good going or returning via Pittsburgh or Grafton and are valid for return journey until November 1st. The Baltimore and Ohio is decidedly the most picturesque to Chicago and as evidence of this fact thousands of tourists from abroad and the north are traveling in the Pullman cars as they are in the Allegheny mountains are among the most wonderful sights in the world and present a vivid scene to the B. & O. R. R. For more detailed information as to rates, time of trains, train connections, and sleeping car accommodations, apply to C. E. Dudrow, Traveling Passenger Agent, Winchester, Va.

Death of Capt. J. C. Marquis.

STANFORD, VA., June 25.—The death of Capt. James C. Marquis, a leading citizen, was a great shock to this community. For several years he had been afflicted with diabetes and returned from Chicago a few days ago, finding his condition very rapidly worsening. He was a self-made man, having accumulated property to the amount of about \$75,000. He served in the Confederate army, first in the West Virginia Guards and later in the 1st West Virginia Cavalry. He was a man of almost giant physique. He is survived by his wife only. Captain Marquis was sixty-six years old.

A Word to Wives and Mothers.

If your husband or son is addicted to the use of Tobacco, Morphine or Liquor, you can free them from their habit. Hill's Double Chloride of Gold Tablets cure. You can free them from their habit. Hill's Double Chloride of Gold Tablets cure. You can free them from their habit. Hill's Double Chloride of Gold Tablets cure.

Popular Preachers.

Three months ago the Lynchburg News inaugurated a contest for the most popular preacher, conducted by means of ballots cast from the paper, the successful candidate to be given a free trip to the World's Fair. The total number of votes cast was 213,322. Rev. W. T. Hall, D. D., was awarded the honor, heading the list with 90,414 votes. He is pastor of the First Baptist Church of Lynchburg. Rev. Father J. J. McTurk, of the Church of the Holy Cross, came second with 56,950 votes, and also gave a free trip to the fair. All expenses are paid in each case.

Committed Suicide.

Edward Williams, son of Mr. Philip Williams, of this county, shot and killed himself at Front Royal Sunday morning. He placed a gun to his mouth and pressed the trigger with a stick with notches cut in it, which he had thrust into the front part of his brain out. Mr. Williams was married but a short time ago to Miss Cammer, of this county. He attempted to kill himself several years ago by cutting his throat and jumping from the third story window of his father's woolen mill into the fo-bay—Winchester News.

A Lady Burned to Death.

Mrs. William Burnett, lady, who recently returned from Albemarle county to the Fort Denison neighborhood, lost her life by an unfortunate accident on Wednesday afternoon. While engaged in soap making her clothing caught fire and she was so badly burned that she died Thursday morning. The husband of the deceased is a first cousin of our county clerk, William A. Burnett.—Staunton Daily News.

Clifton Forge Review, 15th:

Some strange things happen in the world of nature. One of these strange incidents happened in our town the past week. The Rev. V. W. Hecker is the owner of a fine black and white dog named Sam. He is a very fine dog and is very much loved by his master. He is a very fine dog and is very much loved by his master.

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Will sell privately an excellent threshing machine, very new, cheap. A bargain. Call on

EDINBURG ITEMS.

Mr. Joseph Reaser, who has been in Columbus, Ohio, for some time, returned to his home here one day last week.

Mrs. A. O. Ran, of Roanoke, Va., is visiting Mr. David Ran and family, of this town.

Miss Julia Ruse, of Duffields, W. Va., is paying her sister, Mr. Chas. Ran, a pleasant visit here.

Miss Sarah Litton, of Woodstock, accompanied by her friend, Miss Florence Rankin, of Middleburg, Rockingham county, Va., spent Saturday and Sunday here with Mrs. Sarah Penn.

Misses Emma and Stella Rinker, who have been in Chicago for some time, are visiting their sisters, Mrs. Geo. W. Dimes, of this place, and Mrs. Saml. J. Hoffman, of Columbia Furnace.

Remember that the ladies of the Methodist Church, South, will hold their festival in the church yard, on Friday night, June 30th, and Saturday night, July 1st. The proceeds are for the benefit of the personage, and as these hard working, devoted Christian women deserve it, a liberal patronage is expected.

Mr. Samuel Boehm, wife and child, who had been spending some time with Mr. Boehm's mother and sister, in this place, returned to their home in West Virginia, last week. Mr. Boehm was in very bad health when he reached his old home here, but the pure air and water, and beautiful scenery of old Shenandoah soon got in its magic work, and we are glad to know that he returned to his home completely restored to health.

Mr. C. P. Hisey, of this place, received and opened by mistake a package that arrived in the mail a few days ago, and was evidently intended for his brother Tommie, who was recently married here.

The package contained full directions for the young man's guidance, and is supposed to have been sent by the ticket agent of the B. & O. R. R. at Staunton. Should this meet his eye he will know that Tommie got some rather portions of its contents and directions all right, although rather at second hand.

The people of Edinburg have the right to boast of one of the best paved towns in the Valley. But now that Main street has been paved with asphalt, the authorities should turn their attention to the needs of Water street in this respect. The residents of this street have never complained of being neglected, knowing that the claims of the town authorities might be more imperative than theirs, but now they feel their time is here, and they most respectfully ask the members of the town government to look that way.

One of the severest wind and rain storms, accompanied by a smart fall of hail, visited this section on Thursday afternoon of last week. The new dwelling of Mr. J. D. Lemon, on Piccadilly street, now in process of completion, had its glass panes broken in about eight inches, the braces having been removed preparatory to putting in the floors. Fortunately none of the timbers were broken and the damage was easily repaired.

A portion of the roof of the drug store of Mr. C. P. Hisey, on Main street, had been raised for the purpose of putting in the timbers for a mansard roof, and which, upon the whole, was a very good thing, but put back so hastily that it leaked badly, and in consequence the back room, badly damaged the plastering, especially on the ceiling, and the damage was easily repaired.

POWELL'S FORT NEWS.

MR. EDITOR:—We have but little news from our people here. Some have been busy in the harvest field. Many have finished, others still busy saving one of the best crops we have ever had in this Valley. The crops will soon be ready for market and no roads to haul them over. What has become of our road wasters and commissioners? Are they dead or don't they know of their election. If the latter we will get clerk L. S. Walker to drop them a card notifying them of it. If that fails, upon the whole, we will not be disappointed. We pay our taxes and work our time on the roads, and now some of our roads are almost impassable.

Baker, the old lady who dropped the corn as was mentioned in your Fort News recently, was one of the best in the harvest field. She stepped on the machine and handled it like a veteran through the entire harvest. If your young folk would show the same spirit, and not be so much afraid of the machine, they would be far fewer "old maids." Just try it, dear girls.

Several new binders were brought into our little valley this season and they have done good work.

We are laying fine showery and vegetation is growing splendidly.

I suppose Sargan has Neal in the truck patch and in the plow after the showers we don't have any.

Why don't everybody take one dollar and subscribe for the HERALD and thus save their weekly trip to their kind neighbor's house to borrow one, very often to his annoyance. Or you can pay fifty cents for six months and you will do as I did, go back and renew your subscription.

Mr. Vanis Boyer buried one of his children last Sunday. LITTLE P.D.

MARRIED.

On June 15th, 1893, at Mt. Clifton, by Rev. S. H. Hopkins, Mr. Charles Hopewell and Miss Margaret Oris, both of this county.

DIED.

Mrs. Barbara Rosenberg, of Calpepper county, was buried at Powder Springs, June 27, 1893, aged 65 years, 3 months and 7 days. She had come to Powder Springs, her old home, in hope of being benefited by the water there, but in 9 days after she came she died. She joined the Lutheran church 45 or 50 years ago. She was the wife of Mr. J. J. Rosenberg, and 5 children to mourn her departure.

Strayed from the pasture of Mr. W. H. Moyer, at Willow Grove, on Friday, June 23rd, a black mare, with star in forehead, about two years old. Was last seen on Monday, June 25th, at 10 o'clock a.m. I will pay a liberal reward for the return of the colt or any information that will lead to her recovery.

AMUEL H. COFFMAN, Lani's Mill, Shenandoah Co., Va.

Teachers' Attention!

A meeting of the School Board of Woodstock School District, will be held on Wednesday, July 12th, 1893, for the purpose of selecting teachers for the Woodstock Graded School. All applicants for teachers positions must be made prior to that time.

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A Letter from Colorado.

LONGMONT, CO., June 19th, 1893.

DEAR HERALD:—I have had several letters lately inquiring as to the nature, growth and quality of alfalfa, and which I will endeavor to answer as well as I can through your valuable paper. The seed is in appearance much like that of your red clover, only a little larger. Here it is sown in the spring at the same time the wheat is put in, and is grown very extensively in this country. It makes a good hay for cows and work horses, but is not so good for driving horses. It makes a very nourishing feed, but when growing is just as dangerous, if not more so, than your red clover to blast cattle which it will do very quickly, although the people here will risk it sometimes. One of my neighbors lost a fine Jersey a few days ago by being choked by growing alfalfa. One of the greatest claims for alfalfa is that it improves the ground immensely. I have seen fields of ten years standing and it was just as nice and vigorous as could be. They grow a year or frequently cut here, but if you want seed you leave the last crop ripen and then it is like clover. When wanted for hay you cut it every time it starts to bloom nicely, and cure it just as you do hay. The seed sells from 75 to 85 cents a pound, and they sow from 15 to 20 pounds to the acre. I will say to my many farmer friends that when you want to break up your alfalfa seed and grow it, please let me know you were going to do something, for when you get through you will think you have had a holy sort of a job. Here they use alfalfa and grow it, and they will not break the sod, it depending to great extent upon the length of time the sod has stood. I asked a farmer about sowing it in your country, and he seemed to think it would do all O. K. unless seeded in ground that was likely to remain wet for a long time and would freeze and thaw frequently during that time. He also said frost would kill it when quite young and tender, but after getting a start the first frost would not hurt it.

Many thanks to H. D. S., and to Little Pod, of Powell's Hill, I will just say that I am close enough to Neal Buzzard to know that I feel badly and should go to Neal for information. I had better arm myself with one of those Charlie's 50 cent checks to pay for 3 or 4 pills. If I see Neal's wife I would see for a divorce unless he would agree to divorce of his mother's bench and its contents, and make-selling pills a specialty.

The farmers here are very busy irrigating their crops, and seem to have plenty of water.

Mr. Will and myself drove up to a small town west of here, on the 15th. We have to drive up a canyon for five or six miles, and I feel badly and should go to Neal for information. I had